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From: Forsgren, Lee
Sent: Thur 12/14/2017 1:14:28 PM
Subject: RE: EPA-HQ-2017-011463 interim release of 7 documents

I looked at them and they appear to be fine.

From: Zipf, Lynn
Sent: Thursday, December 14, 2017 8:06 AM
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Checking in on the status of these responsive documents. These are the 6 correspondences to and from the requester and the delegation to Mike Shapiro, Did you get a chance to review and/or send these forward to Sarah Greenwalt?

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Since there are so few documents, please put them into a PDF that can be forwarded to Sarah for review.

On Dec 12, 2017, at 3:22 PM, Zipf, Lynn <Zipf.Lynn@epa.gov> wrote:

They are working with the requester to extend the 12/13/17 deadline so it is in flux. Please advise as to how to best review these documents.

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Thanks Lynn. I believe this FOIA would fall within the four corners of the direction we've been given and we therefore should afford folks the opportunity to review. When is the deadline?

On Dec 12, 2017, at 3:00 PM, Zipf, Lynn <Zipf.Lynn@epa.gov> wrote:

Ann – Northwest Environmental Advocates submitted a FOIA request for documents related to EPA's May 31, 2017 denial of a petition submitted by NWEA on October 28, 2013 by letter from Michael H. Shapiro, Acting Assistant Administrator. The petition pertained to rulemaking on water quality criteria for toxics in the State of Washington.

The six responsive documents that are part of this interim release are letters to and from the petitioner as well as the temporary delegation from the Administrator to Mike Shapiro. These are all documents that are already in the public domain. I asked about the delegation and according to OGC, an order from the Administrator delegating authority to Mike is a final order of the Agency. It's not deliberative. We've released similar orders to the public recently.

Please advise as to what further review, if any, is needed for this interim release.

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